

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2004_0942A
Minoru OHARA : **Confirmation No. 3412**
Serial No. 10/500,961 : Group Art Unit 1715
Filed July 8, 2004 : Examiner Katherine A Bareford
THERMAL BARRIER COATING METHOD, : **Mail Stop: RCE**
MASKING PIN AND COMBUSTOR
TRANSITION PIECE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 7, 2010, Applicant herein provides the following amendments and remarks.